

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the first full paragraph of page 4 with the following rewritten paragraph:

FIG. 32 shows a configuration of a virtual computer system. In the virtual computer system, under the virtual machine 100 having one CPU or a plurality of CPUs, a plurality of operating systems, such as operating system[[s]] ~~A101~~ A 101, operating system ~~B102~~ B 102, ..., operating system ~~Z103~~ Z 103 that have different characteristics such as the real time property, the weight of load, etc. are executed, and also various applications 104, 105, 106 are executed while controlling a plurality of hardware devices 107 on respective operating systems.